IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Haggar et al. Serial No. : 09/824,298 Filed : April 2, 2001

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BANDWIDTH AT A SERVER

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Sir:

TELEPHONIC INTERVIEW

A telephonic interview was conducted between applicants' representative Robert L. Showalter and Examiner Mattis on March 7, 2008. The prior art rejection of claim 1 was discussed. The Examiner indicated that he would discuss the prior art rejections with his Supervisor and call afterwards. No commitment was made regarding allowable subject matter.

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